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The seven-member Hagami family's days are always lively and rowdy. One day, the eldest son, Aki, came back to live with his family because of a ghost in his apartment. And then, Fukamachi, a friend of the eldest daughter, Hirono, decides to plan a ghost tour?! This is my favorite family by far!

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♥"I play with the dog across the street every-day. He's a six-year-old laborer retriever, and his name's Shiro-chan. He anxiously waits for me every morning, so I can't sleep in. I even go outside to play with him on winter mornings. I just put something on and go out. Shiro-chan's cheerful even on cold winter days. I wonder why dogs are so honest... Well, Chopikko (a character from the old anime Robot Boy Potakon or Mechakko Potakon) is honest, too. Chopikko's in danger of losing my love! Well, not really," says mangaka, Ikuemi Ryou.

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(Whether the People or the Moon)

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待望の新連載スタート!!

球士のホームドラマ

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いくえみ綾 IKUEMI RYO

Hagami Hirono.
Eighteen years old.
Sophomore in high school.
Hobby: walks around
Specialty: can understand an animal's feelings a bit.

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新連載！

巻頭カラー50P

いくえみ流ホームドラマ!!

かの人や月

マイ・フェイバリット・ファミリー

フノノナ家族!!
ひとつ屋根の下で
普通のようで、
少しずつ
人間模様……!?

いくえみ綾
Ryo Ikuemi

最新MC「プレゼント」は7月発売予定!!
MC「私がいても いなくても」全3巻は大好評発売中!!

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Chapter 1

Ikuemi Ryou

...
HUH?
DID YOU SAY SOME-THING?
I SAID, "I LIKE YOU,"
"HIRONO"

...
HUH?
DID YOU SAY SOME-THING?
I SAID, "I LIKE YOU,"
"HIRONO"

I'M a loner by nature.

HUH?
The Hagami residence.
Mother - Mitsue (45)
YEAH, HONA-CHAN'S ALREADY MADE IT HER ROOM, RIGHT?
CAN'T AKI USE THE CLOSET PER-HAPS?
ABSO-LUTELY NOT!!
WELL, I GUESS SO
Father - Motoharu (47)
HEY, WAIT A MINUTE, WHAT'S GOING TO HAPPEN TO MY ROOM? DON'T TELL ME AKI-CHAN'S GOING TO USE IT AGAIN?!
Second daughter - Honoka (16)

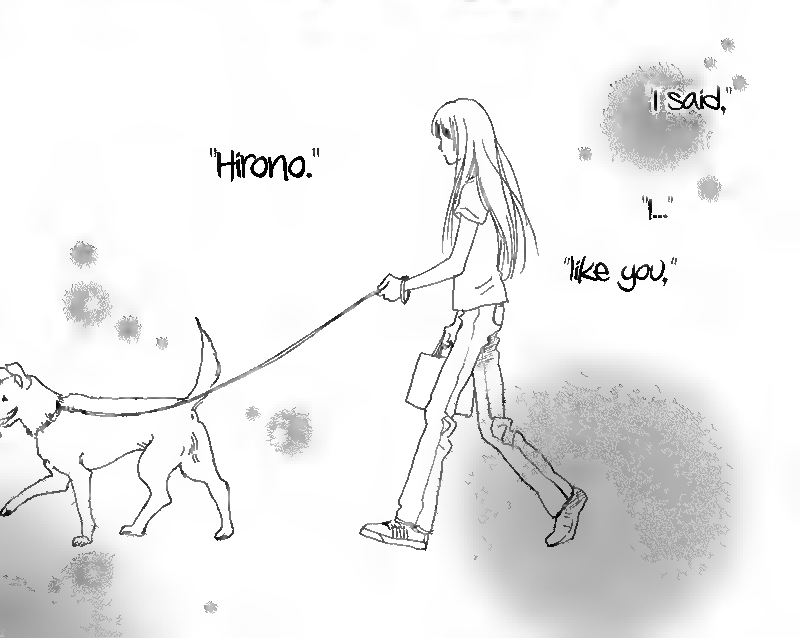
...
Yawn
Cat - Poseidon (13)
Eldest daughter - Hirono (18)
GHOSTS ?
I'D SAY HUMANS ARE SCARIER
GHOSTS ARE PRETTY SCARY
chew
chew
slurp
Grandma - Sue (78)
Grandpa - Haruo (82)
SLIDE SLIDE
I'M HOME !
NOPE.
...
slurp
slurp
slurp
slurp
slurp
slurp
IS THERE SOME LEFT FOR ME?
grumble
HEY,
Eldest son - Aki (22)
STOMP
STOMP

Dog - Komaru (3)
To tell you the truth,
I've wanted to live on my own since high school started.
KOMARU
Push
Push
My parents were even against Aki living on his own.
But I'm still a student, and we aren't that rich.
And as for living in my family's house, I wanted Aki's old room because it was brighter than mine.
HONOKA
HAVE YOU EVER SEEN A REAL GHOST BEFORE?
HUH? NO.
YOU KNOW ABOUT,
YEAH.
HOW LOTS OF GIRLS HEAR STORIES ABOUT THEM AND SAY, "AH, THAT'S SO SCARY," RIGHT?
PUFF

IT'S TOO SCARY TO THINK ABOUT, SO I WON'T TELL YOU
...
WHAT ?!
AKI.
DID YOU STOP THE PAYMENT FOR YOUR APART-MENT YET?
IT'S THIRTY TIMES WORSE THAN THE ONES IN THOSE STORIES
FOR REAL ?
WHAT IS IT LIKE?
Meow
NO, IT'S JUST AS I LEFT IT
I find the Refs in advance
WELL ...
THEN...
BECAUSE THAT ROOM IS MINE.
Hehe
OH, YEAH.. ALL RIGHT! I'LL HELP YOU MOVE OUT.
Yes
HEY, HEY! AKI-CHAN DOESN'T HAVE A ROOM, HUH?
HUH?
SO WHAT ARE WE MOVING FIRST?
NO !
WAIT, AKI!

...
About that apartment, can I...
THE CLOSET HUH
I DON'T WANT TO START SHARING A ROOM WITH HONOKA ALL OF A SUDDEN EITHER!
THAT'S RIGHT! AND DAD SAID, "AKI GETS THE CLOSET," TODAY.
WHOEVER LOSES AT ROCK PAPER SCISSORS WILL TAKE THE CLOSET.
step step
HEY, WHERE ARE YOU GOING SISTERS
flink
flink
flink
OH, KOMARU-CHAN
SORRY, I DIDN'T NOTICE YOU WERE OUT OF WATER.
Here you go
I'LL WATER THE YARD, TOO
SPRAY
Hii
Hii
Hii
What's with...

LET'S GO FOR A WALK.
KO-MARU.
PANT
PANT
PANT
What's with him?


"Hirono."
I said,"
"I...
"like you,"

I WONDER WHY

GIVE ME A REPLY ..?
I DID GIVE YOU A REPLY
"THANK YOU."

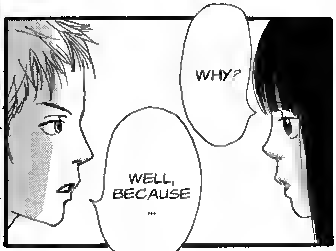
WHY
WON'T YOU...

YOU'RE JUST GOING TO ACCEPT MY FEELINGS?
SO IN OTHER WORDS...

SORRY, I...
I CAN ONLY THINK OF YOU AS A FRIEND, FUKAMACHI

WE'RE "FRIENDS"

CAN I COME OVER SOME TIME?
THAT'S OK!


WHY?
WELL, BECAUSE ...

I've always had a hard time making friends.
I'M SORRY
I DON'T LIKE THE OCEAN
HEY,
ABOUT GOING TO THE OCEAN
LET'S INVITE HAGAMI-SAN, TOO
HAGAMI-SAN? WHY?
A FRIEND OF HERS SAID THAT HAGAMI-SAN WAS "NICE."
OH..
OH.
I SEE
SEE YOU LATER, THEN..
'TIL NEXT SEMESTER
SEE
They could at least have asked...
Why I don't like the ocean
...
Ah!

...
WHY DON'T YOU LIKE THE OCEAN?
BECAUSE THEY'RE WIDE, BIG, AND SCARY
I think this is what keeps people from coming near me
Pat
WHAT?
"THE OCEAN IS WIDE AND BIG THE MOON RISE, AND THE SUN SETS..."
HMM ..
CAN I COME TODAY?
WHERE ?
TO YOUR PLACE!
WHY?
NO PARTICULAR REASON ..
THERE'S NOTHING TO DO
...
Fukamachi sure is a curious person.
*NOTE HE'S QUOTING A SONG

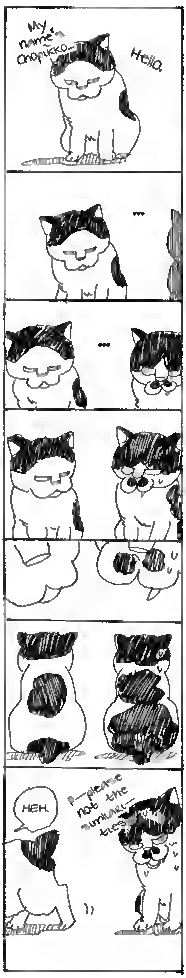
I SAID THAT THE CARAMEL WAS MINE.
HUH? CAN'T HEAR YOU.
SLIDE...
Ah...
I'M HOME
Not again.
YOU CAN TELL JUST BY LOOKING! THIS ONE IS CLEARLY BLACK SESAME!
IF YOU WANTED TO EAT IT SO BADLY, YOU SHOULD'VE WRITTEN YOUR NAME ON IT!
AS IF I COULD DO SOMETHING GREEDY LIKE YOU!
NOW YOU'VE SAID IT!
WHO ARE YOU CALLING GREEDY? YOU'RE THE GREEDY ONE!
...
JUST IGNORE THEM.
THEY'RE BEING THEMSELVES
OH, NO YOU DIDN'T, YOU OLD GEEZER!
OLD GEEZER!
HUH? I CAN'T HEAR YOU!

HINO-CHAN BROUGHT A BOY HOME...
OH!
Geese
HELLO! I'M HIRONO'S SISTER, HONOKA I'M A JUNIOR
I'M FUKAMACHI I'M HIRONO'S CLASSMATE.
...WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?
I'M GOING OUT I HAVE A DATE
HAVE FUN, YOU TWO.
"HINO-CHAN?"
A LONG TIME AGO, SHE COULDN'T SAY "HIRONO"
NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES SHE SAID IT, IT WOULD ALWAYS TURN OUT AS "HINORO"
MY SISTER I MEAN
HOW CUTE
YOU THINK SO?
MY DAD ADORES
MY SISTER

THE CAT'S NAME...
OH...
I thought you called out for a god all of a sudden.
POSEI-DON.
HUH?
AH!
THAT GAVE ME A SCARE!
MEOW
HMM...
RUB...
HE LIKES GUYS
BECAUSE HE'S MY BROTHER'S CAT
SO YOU HAVE A BROTHER TOO?
HOW OLD IS HE?
TWENTY TWO
IS HE A STU DENT?
HE'S WORK ING
HE SAID THERE WERE GHOSTS IN HIS APARTMENT, SO HE CAME HOME THE OTHER DAY
GHOSTS, HUH?
..POSEI-DON HAS AN ILL NESS
WHAT KIND OF ILLNESS?
INCOMPLETE IMMUNE SYSTEM WE WERE TOLD HE MIGHT NOT LIVE MUCH LONGER

BUT...
EVER SINCE MY BROTHER CAME HOME
POSEIDON'S BEEN HAPPY...
PURR PURR PURR
...IT SEEMS
MEOW
ARE CATS ALWAYS THIS HOT?
HUH?
DID HE GET AN OTHER FEVER?
HE GETS THEM EASILY
...
What am I rambling about?
HEY

ARE YOU AFRAID OF GHOSTS?
WELL...
I'VE NEVER SEEN A REAL ONE..
DO YOU WANT TO SEE ONE?
NO.
IF YOU SEE ONE,
CALL MY NAME
MY FIRST NAME
I'LL COME SAVE YOU



*NOTE A FUSUMA IS A SLIDING SCREEN

"ITADAKIMASU" IS THE JAPANESE WAY OF SAYING SOMETHING LIKE "EAT UP" OR "BON APPÉTIT"
I DON'T KNOW
A DATE? WITH WHO?!
ITADA-KIMASU
WHAT?!
SHE'S GONE ON A DATE
HONO-KA!
TRY IT WITH THIS
OH, IT'S FINE
WATER,
MITSUE SAN WHERE'S THE WATER?
So chaotic...?
Why... is my family...
HEY, WHO TOOK THE LID OFF?
WHO DARES TO TAKE MY DAUGHTER OUT?!
BE SURE TO GET PLENTY OF PRO TEIN
MOM, WHERE'S THE ICHIMI'?
IT'S RIGHT THERE
NO
HEY, YOU! TEXT MES-SAGE HER "FATHER'S DYING"
WATER
YOU WATER
*NOTE: ICHIMI IS A COMMONLY-USED SPICE

HMM...
WELL, HIRONO'S RELIABLE
HEY, MISTER.
WHAT ABOUT ME?
LOTS OF PRO TEIN
...
ARE WE OK?
CAN I MOVE INTO AKI'S APART MENT?
THEN, mm
YOU TRUST HER!
MORON.
WHAT ABOUT YOUR SOCIAL STATUS AS A STUDENT?
ゴクゴク

...of ghosts...
Well, a moron who is afraid...
JUST HURRY UP AND GET RID OF IT.
IT'S JUST SOME DUMB GHOST.
Idiot?
THAT'S RIGHT.
WHAT?
NO, IDIOT, YOU.
HUH?
YOU'RE WASTING THE HOUSE RENT
DO YOU WANT ME TO GET RID OF THEM?
GET RID OF...

"NOTE: WHAT HE IS TRYING TO SAY IS "YOU HAVE TO TREASURE THIS TIME RIGHT NOW."
HIRONO
EH?
YOU CAN LIVE ON YOUR OWN ANYTIME.
YOU HAVE TO TREAS-WURE TIS TIME WIGHT NOW.
Chew Chew
GRANDPA!! DON'T TAKE YOUR FAKE TEETH OUT WHEN YOU'RE EATING!
EWWW! THAT'S GROSS!
...IS the WORST...
OH, THIS IS THE REASON WHY WE'RE OLD
HE'S A NICE KID.

I'M GOING TO GO TO THE GROCERY STORE.
MITSUE-SAN.
YES?
RIGHT NOW?
UNLIKE HONOKA, IT'S RARE FOR YOU TO BRING A BOY HOME
THAT BOY.
YOU THINK SO?
EVEN THOUGH GRANDMA HAS DIA-BETES, HUH?
SLAM
SLIDE
OK, OK.
I'M TOO MAD TO GO TO SLEEP LIKE THIS.
HARUO ATE THE CARA-MELS.
IT'S ALL RIGHT.
JUST LET HER EAT WHAT SHE WANTS.

SUMMER BREAK!!
SPIRIT EXPERIENCE ~~BUS~~ WAGON TOUR.
ONE WAY
OK.
AH.
CUSTOM
AKI-CHAN, YOU'RE ON VACATION TOMORROW, RIGHT?
WOAH SOUNDS FUN
HE WAS SERIOUS..
YOU GUYS..
ARE WE REALLY GOING..?
WE LEAVE TOMORROW!!
We could use an animal radar..?

YOU ACT LIKE MY ROOM IS SOME KIND OF HAUNTED HOUSE
ISN'T IT?
...
AKI, WHERE'S THE KEY?
...GOT IT.
HEY, CAN I TURN THESE SEAT COVERS?
YEAH
SHOULD WE HAVE BROUGHT GRANDPA AND GRANDMA WITH US?
NO WAY.
Woof Woof
YOU SHOULD HAVE BROUGHT YOUR BOYFRIEND ALONG.
NO WAY! HE GETS SCARED TOO EASILY.
BOYS ARE WEAK WHEN IT COMES TO STUFF LIKE THIS.
OH.
He's kind of helpful.
IT'S UNUSUAL FOR MACHI TO GET SO INSPIRED
WOW! THAT'S SO COOL!
You're like an Onmyouji.
HM?
IN-SPIRED?
WHO SAID ANYTHING ABOUT THAT?

*NOTE: ONMYOUJI IS SOMEONE WITH SPECIAL POWERS.

SCREECH
WE'RE HERE
...
THERE'S NO WAY I COULD DO THAT
I'm sorry!
WELL...
YOU SAID THAT YOU WOULD "GET RID OF THEM"?
I can't believe this.
So much for "I'll come and save you."
click
click
click
click
click
click
SHHH! KOMARU, BE QUIET!
He's just all talk
Huff
So much for "call my name."
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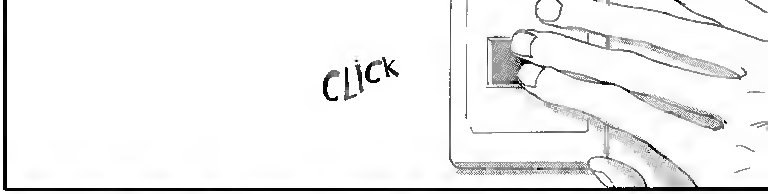
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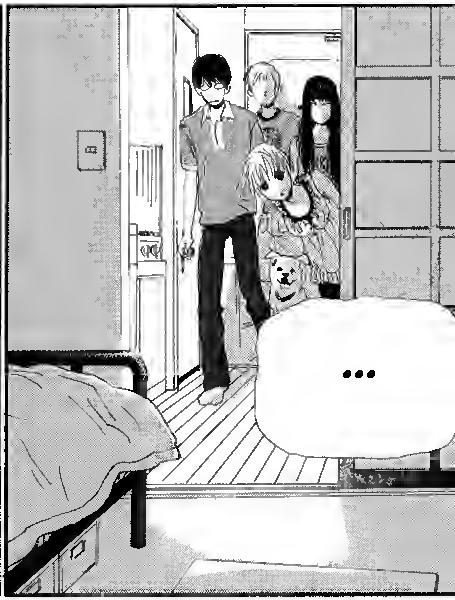
IT'S STILL KIND OF DIM...
THIS LIGHT BULB DOESN'T USE THAT MUCH ELEC TRICITY
SOME THING SMELLS BAD?
I HAVEN'T TURNED THE VENTI- LATION ON.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WELL,
WELL,
WELL
SIT DOWN, SIT DOWN.
SO?
WHERE AND WHEN DO THEY APPEAR?
WHAT ARE THEY LIKE?

DID YOU JUST FEEL THAT CHILLY BREEZE?
KOMARU'S SHAKING ...
AREN'T YOU GUYS JUST BEING INFLUENCED BY YOUR OWN PRECONCEIVED NOTIONS?
Wipe that look off your face

What am I...
doing...?
Hehn Hehn
SO, FUKAMACHI-KUN
HOW'S HIRONO AT SCHOOL?
Puh!
WELL...
SHE'S A RESERVED PERSON.
SHE HAS EYES THAT CAN OBSERVE OUR HOME ROOM TEACHER CALMLY, AND SHE NEVER WASTES HER WORDS
HINO-CHAN'S COOL, SO IT'S HARD...
AND SHE FELL IN LOVE..
HEY
HEY
WELL, WE'RE STILL JUST FRIENDS
LET'S GET ALONG, BIG BROTHER!
LET'S GET ALONG.
I'LL DO MY BEST! ♡

Stop it.
being teased...
and agitated by the people around me...
...is the cruelest.
STAND
LET'S GO, KOMARU!
GOING TO THE BATHROOM?
I'M GOING OUT FOR A WALK.
KOMARU HASN'T BEEN TAKEN OUT YET TODAY.
WHAT? RIGHT NOW?
OH! I'LL GO, TOO!
STAND

I DON'T THINK OF MYSELF AS A RE-SERVED PERSON.
HI...
...RONO. ♪
SOR-RY.
IT'S JUST ...
SOME-WHAT ...
IT SEEMS LIKE YOU LIKE ANIMALS BETTER THAN HUMANS.
THAT'S NOT TRUE.

I NEVER SAID THAT...
THEN, WHY DON'T YOU SOCIALIZE WITH OTHERS MORE OFTEN?
well...
that's...
...just how I am by nature.
I can't help it.
IF THAT'S SO...
THEN THE OCEAN'S ALWAYS GOING TO STAY WIDE, BIG, AND SCARY.

WE'RE GOING HOME! KOMARU!
UGH!
OPEN
SLAM
Pant
...
Silence.....
OPEN
We went to the grocery. Pe nice, okay? ♡♡

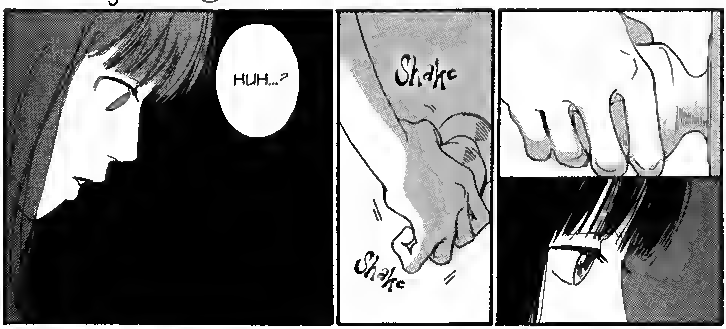
...
...
...
...
At times like these,
I know why...
I've been avoiding him 'til now.
I can't find the words.
SHIT.

...
THE TV'S BROKEN
Damn!
Silence
What should I do?
I have a stomach ache...

FU...
...
...KA
...MACHI
!
...
DO YOU WANT TO LISTEN TO A CD?
I can't..
take this..
...anymore!
STAND
OH...
YE...
...
IT'S NIGHT TIME...
YEAH
RI
AND THE WALLS HERE SEEM THIN..

Click Click
Whhh...
...
SLAM
Boom Boom
Boom Boom
...
"He's a good kid."
Click
SNORE
SNORE
SNORE

...
BLINK
...
BLINK
BLINK
BLINK
HEH.
SPLASH


HUH...?
Shake
Shake

NO...
Shake
Shake
NO...
Shake
ssssh...

'Name...'
WOOSH...
...
KO-MARU ...?
KO...
SLAM
KO-MARU ?
BOOM
BOOM
Shake
FU...
FUKA-MACHI ...?

"My first name."
ARATA!
ARATA!
ARATA!
ARATA!

ARATA
...
WHAT'S WRONG ?

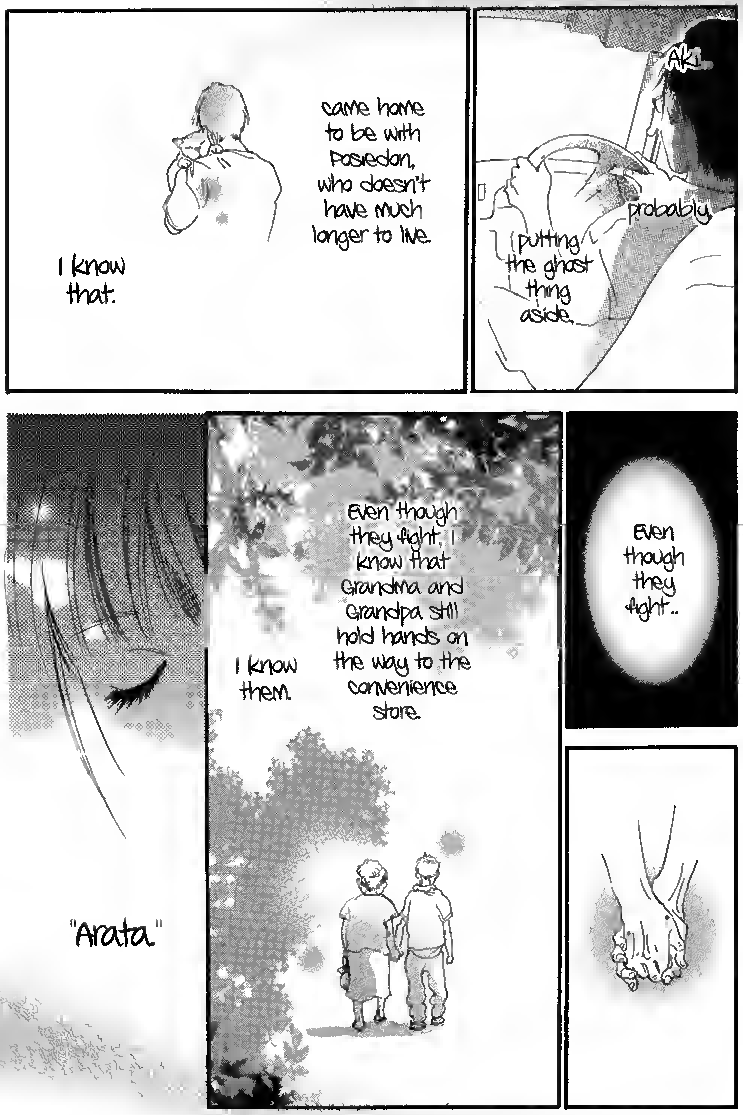
THE DOOR ...
WOULD NOT OPEN...
...
THE...
IT'S OPEN NOW.
...
THE LIGHT ...
IT'S TURNED ON...

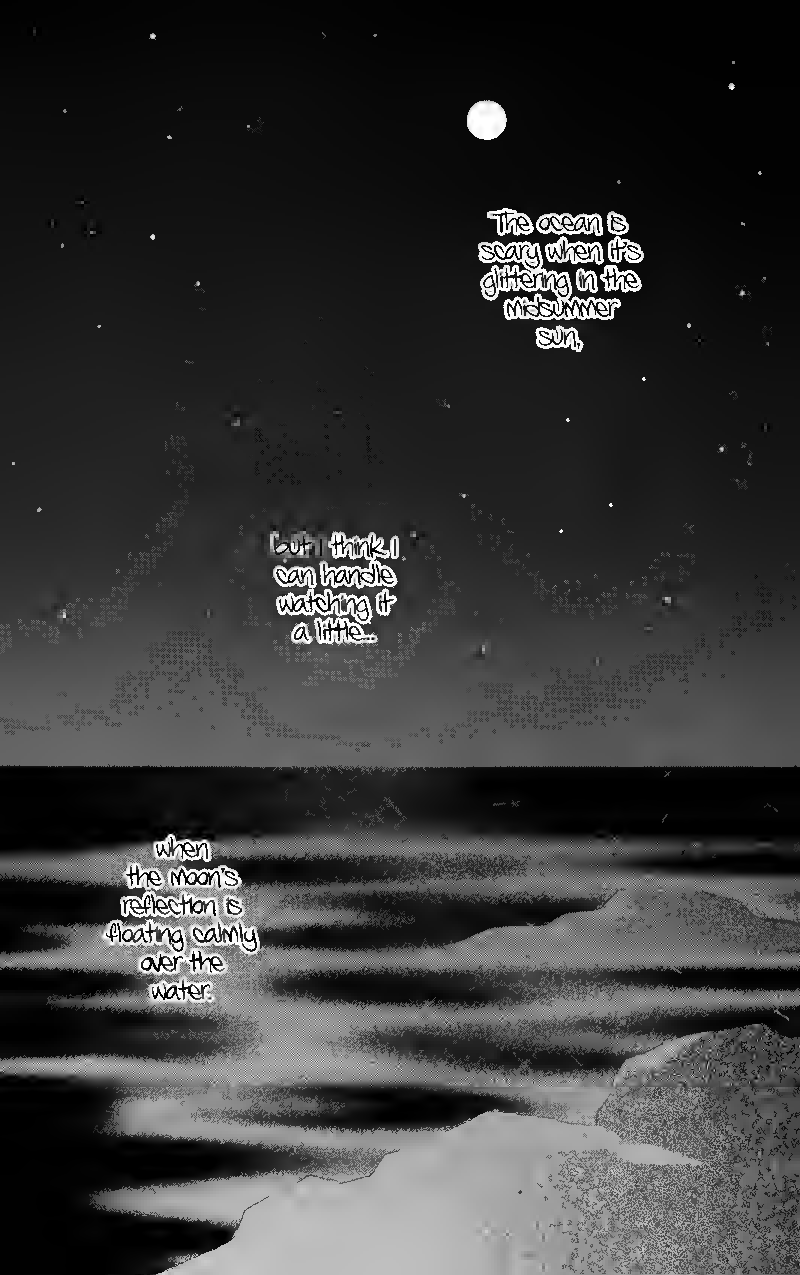
"The ... ocean... is wide... and... big..."

SCREECH
SCREECH
Chirp
Chirp
Chirp
It's still lonely in the morning
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
"The... moon rises, and the sun sets..." ♪
HINO-CHAN
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
...
YEAH.
BLUR——————....

IT REALLY WAS SCARY
WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "ACCIDENT"?
WELL, OTHER THAN HINO-CHAN'S ACCIDENT
THERE WASN'T ANYTHING THERE
WHERE DID IT HAPPEN TO YOU, THEN?
BUT YOU KNOW ...
NOTHING'S EVER HAPPENED TO ME IN THE BATHROOM BEFORE.
THAT'S ALL YOU SAY.
WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN?
IT WAS SO SCARY THAT I DON'T EVEN WANT TO THINK ABOUT IT ANYMORE!
I TOLD YOU ALREADY

The person Fukamachi sees me as...
is someone who calmly observes others and doesn't waste words.
I know that Mom always saves...
a serving for Grandma before she spices anything.
I...
I know that...
Dad actually really worries about me, too


I know that.
came home to be with Poseidon, who doesn't have much longer to live.
Aki...
probably
putting the ghost thing aside.
"Arata."
I know them.
Even though they fight, I know that Grandma and Grandpa still hold hands on the way to the convenience store.
Even though they fight...


The ocean is scary when it's glittering in the midsummer sun.
But I think I can handle watching it a little...
when the moon's reflection is floating calmly over the water.